

Chapter 12 Notetaking Study Guide

Now you are ready to answer the Chapter 12 Focus Question: **How did reformers and writers inspire change and spark controversy?**

► Complete the following chart to help you answer this question.

American Reforms and Ideas	
<p>Society and Education</p> <p>Social reform: organized attempts to improve conditions of life</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two factors encouraging reform: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>the expansion of democracy</u> 2. _____ The temperance movement was _____. <p>Prison reform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dorothea Dix convinced state legislatures to build _____ and create _____. <p>Education reform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> _____ called for colleges to train teachers and higher teacher salaries. _____ was the first state to admit African Americans to public schools. 	<p>Slavery</p> <p>Abolitionists: reformers who wanted to abolish slavery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> William Lloyd Garrison cofounded the <i>Liberator</i>, an _____. Frederick Douglass: an escaped slave and powerful speaker <p>The Underground Railroad</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Conductors” helped slaves move between “stations.” _____, an escaped slave, escorted over 300 slaves to freedom. <p>Opposing Abolition</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Northerners relied on cotton produced by slaves. The “gag rule” blocked _____.
<p>Women’s Rights</p> <p>Women’s rights movement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women began to demand equal rights as citizens. Elizabeth Cady Stanton wrote _____. <p>The Seneca Falls Convention</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> birthplace of _____ 1869: Stanton and Susan B. Anthony founded the _____. <p>New Opportunities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Women started schools for girls and women. career “firsts” in <u>medicine</u>, _____. 	<p>Culture</p> <p>Ideas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transcendentalism was a form of _____, a European artistic movement. The writings of _____ and _____ reflected transcendentalism. Louisa May Alcott was the first to depict a woman as _____. American artists began to focus on landscapes around them or _____.

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